



# NEWS RELEASE

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**District:** 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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## BIKE MONTH INCLUDES CALTRANS BIKEWAYS TOUR IN SAN LUIS OBISPO

SAN LUIS OBISPO – Caltrans will be leading a bike ride through the City of San Luis Obispo on Wednesday, May 11 from 5:30 pm until 7 pm to highlight innovations in bikeways that Caltrans and the City have collaborated on through the years and a glimpse of what is on the horizon.

Within the proximity of only a few square miles, San Luis Obispo boasts many bikeway facilities that you normally only find in bigger cities. This ride will begin at Meadow Park, 2333 Meadow Street in San Luis Obispo and will be led at a leisurely and informal pace following a short bike safety presentation. Helmets and lights are required.

Meet with your bike at Meadow Park and ride a five-mile loop around town before reaching downtown San Luis Obispo. Since space is limited to 20 riders, please RSVP to Adam Fukushima at [adam.fukushima@dot.ca.gov](mailto:adam.fukushima@dot.ca.gov)

This event will take place as part of May's Bike Month, a countywide series of events organized by San Luis Obispo Regional Rideshare. Bicycling is a fun, healthy, zero-polluting form of transportation that reduces the cost of maintaining our state highway system. To learn more about Bike Month events, visit: <http://www.rideshare.org>.

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